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AGS: PEPR, MPOL, SOPN, GW, US

SUBJECT:WHITE HOUSE BRIEFING

REF: BONN 3419

IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION POSED FEBRUARY 22, ORAL RPT ORAL REPLY WAS GIVEN TO REPORTER MARCH 1. EMBASSY MAY WISH TO INFORM FOREIGN OFFICE AND FMOD OF TEXT OF ORAL RESPONSE. BEGIN TEXT: NO, WE HAVE NO EVIDENCE TO SUPPORT ALLEGATIONS THAT THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT MIGHT BE USING THE COVER OF OTRAG TO DEVELOP ROCKETS TO DELIVER NUCLEAR PAYLOADS. IT IS WELL KNOWN THAT THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY DOES NOT POSSESS NUCLEAR WEAPONS, IS BOUND BY TREATY OBLIGATION
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NOT TO BECOME A NUCLEAR POWER AND IN FACT HAS NO INTENTION OF BECOMING ONE. END TEXT. VANCE

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